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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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A paper product, such as a calendar or a postcard, is formed of two paper sheets with surfaces thereof in opposed bonded relationship to each other. A germinative seed is housed between minor opposing surface area portions of the paper sheets bordered by a line of perforation. The line of perforation permits the minor surface area portion to be removed absent adversely affecting, damaging or destroying the major surface area while at the same time allowing the germinative seed to be planted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel all of the claims of record and substitute therefor the following newly drafted claims:

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(New) A paper product comprising first and second paper sheets each having first and second opposite paper surfaces with said first paper surfaces being in substantially planar contiguous surface-to-surface opposing relationship at both major and minor opposing surface area portions thereof, said major opposing surface area portions of said first and second paper sheets first paper surfaces being substantially permanently adhesively bonded to each other, a line of perforations in said first and second paper sheets which is adapted to be torn to facilitate the separation of said major and minor opposing surface area portions from each other, and a germinative seed housed between said minor opposing surface area portions which can be subsequently planted absent adversely affecting damaging or destroying the major opposing surface area portions.

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11. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially continuous line of perforations.

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(New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially discontinuous line of perforations.

13. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially discontinuous line of perforations extending substantially between edges of said sheets.

14. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially discontinuous line of perforations extending substantially between opposite edges of said sheets.

15. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially continuous closed line of perforations.

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16. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said minor opposing surface area portions of said first and second paper sheets first paper surfaces are substantially permanently adhesively bonded to each other.

17. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein a decomposable adhesive bonds said major opposing surface area portions to each other.

18. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 including means for indicating the presence of said germinative seed between said minor opposing surface area portions.

19. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said major opposing surface area portion provides means for defining an address field.

20. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said major opposing surface area portion provides means for defining an inscription field.

21. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 10 wherein said major opposing surface area portion provides means for defining an calendar field.

22. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 16 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially continuous line of perforations.

23. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 16 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially discontinuous line of perforations.

24. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 16 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially discontinuous line of perforations extending substantially between edges of said sheets.

25. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 16 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially discontinuous line of perforations extending substantially between opposite edges of said sheets.

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26. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 16 wherein said line of perforations is a substantially continuous closed line of perforations.

27. (New) The paper product as defined in claim 16 including means for indicating the presence of said germinative seed between said minor opposing surface area portions.

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28. (New) A paper product comprising a plurality of pairs of first and second paper sheets each having first and second opposite paper surfaces with said first paper surfaces being in substantially planar contiguous surface-to-surface opposing relationship at both major and minor opposing surface area portions thereof, said major opposing surface area portions of said first and second paper sheets first paper surfaces of each pair being substantially permanently adhesively bonded to each other, a line of perforations in said first and second paper sheets of each pair which is adapted to be torn to facilitate the separation of said major and minor opposing surface area portions from each other, a germinative seed housed between said minor opposing surface area portions of each pair which can be subsequently planted absent adversely affecting, damaging or destroying the major opposing surface area portions, and means for connecting said pairs together.